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AMPS response to AMA Booster Statement

We read with incredulity the statement put out on Thursday, 2 March 2023 by the AMA. "Get boostered! No room for COVID complacency as Winter wave threatens."

The Australian Medical Professionals' Society (AMPS) believes the COVID-19 vaccine program should be stopped immediately pending a full, open and transparent investigation. A thorough safety review is required that independently scrutinises the raw data.

The COVID -19 vaccines have not been proved safe and effective. They do not stop transmission, nor were they ever tested for transmission and have been associated with unprecedented adverse events and death rates not seen with any other vaccine in Australian history.

AMPS, as the alternative association of doctors in Australia invites the AMA to publicly debate us on the safety and efficacy of the COVID-19 vaccines, effective early treatments, medical censorship and any other topic. All medical professionals should welcome vigorous debate on the science, and not support the censorship and reprisal that some of our colleagues have endured for simply wanting to "first do no harm".

In light of the absence of any long term safety data for one injection, let alone two, three, four even five consecutive Covid vaccinations, it is time that all medical professional bodies and authorities stood up for the ethical principles of informed consent, beneficence, non-maleficence and justice.

The general public is not composed of I-phones that need to be simply recharged with a booster. Australian doctors have a duty to provide patients with informed consent, to ensure that there is no coercion or manipulation involved as well as making sure patients are informed of potential risks and benefits of the intervention proposed.

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